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In response to the Official Action mailed August 29, 2006, please amend the claims to read as follows:

- 1 1. (currently amended) A system for broadcasting short range
- 2 RF real-time information to motor vehicles traveling along a
- 3 roadway comprising:
- 4 a sequence of transceiving short range broadcast
- 5 stations at fixed positions along said highway, said
- 6 stations spaced so that the broadcast ranges of said
- 7 stations tangentially overlap each other;
- 8 a sequence of motor vehicles moving along said roadway,
- 9 each vehicle including a transceiver for said short range RF 10 signals;
- means in each of said motor vehicles with said
- 12 transceivers for transmitting data specific to said
- 13 transmitting motor vehicle; and
- 14 means in said broadcast stations, receiving said data
- 15 specific to said motor vehicle, for broadcasting said data
- 16 specific to said transmitting motor vehicle to all of said
- 17 motor vehicle transceivers within the broadcasting range of
- 18 said broadcasting stations.
- 1 2. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 1 wherein said short range frequency
- 3 is in the range of 824-892 Mhz.
- 1 3. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 2 wherein:
- 3 said broadcast stations are cellular broadcast towers
- 4 spaced on said roadway; and
- 5 said transceivers in said motor vehicles are cellular
- 6 telephones.

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- 1 4. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 1 further including:
- 3 means associated with each of the broadcast stations
- 4 for providing information zones along said roadway
- 5 respectively defined by the broadcast range of the closest
- 6 broadcast station, and

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- 7 said means for broadcasting in each zone include means
- 8 for broadcasting information of particular interest to all
- 9 motor vehicles in each zone.
- 1 5. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 4 wherein said broadcast information
- 3 is of particular interest to all motor vehicles in each
- 4 zone, includes said data specific to a transmitting vehicle
- 5 in the respective zone.
- 6. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 5 whereir said broadcast information
- 3 relates to a breakdown of the transmitting vehicle.
- 1 7. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 5 wherein said broadcast information
- 3 relates to road hazards in the respective zone as noted by
- 4 the transmitting vehicle.
- 1 8. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 5 wherein said broadcast information
- 3 relates to traffic conditions in the respective zone as
- 4 noted by the transmitting vehicle.

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- 1 9. (original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 5 wherein said broadcast information
- 3 relates to traffic conditions in zones other than the
- 4 broadcast zone as noted by a transmitting vehicle.
- 1 10.(original) The short range RF broadcasting system to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 1 further including display means in
- 3 each of said motor vehicles associated with said
- 4 transceivers for displaying received broadcast data.
- 1 11. (currently amended) In a system for broadcasting short
- 2 range RF real-time information to motor vehicles traveling
- 3 along a roadway comprising a sequence of transceiving short
- 4 range broadcast stations at fixed positions along said
- 5 highway, said stations spaced so that the broadcast ranges
- 6 of said stations tangentially overlap each other[;], a short
- 7 range RF broadcasting method comprising:
- 8 moving a sequence of motor vehicles along said roadway,
- .9 each vehicle including a transceiver for said short range RF
- 10 signals;
- enabling the transmission from each of said motor
- 12 vehicles with said transceivers of data specific to said
- 13 transmitting motor vehicle; and
- enabling each of said broadcast stations, receiving
- 15 said data specific to said motor vehicle, to broadcast said
- 16 data specific to said transmitting motor vehicle to all of
- 17 said motor vehicle transceivers within the broadcasting
- 18 range of said broadcasting stations.
 - 1 12. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
 - 2 motor vehicles of claim 11 wherein said short range
 - 3 frequency is in the range of 824-892 Mhz.

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- 1 13. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 12 wherein:
- 3 said broadcasts are cellular communications; and
- 4 said transceivers in said motor vehicles are cellular
- 5 telephones.
- 1 14. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 11 further including the steps of:
- 3 providing information zones along said roadway
- 4 respectively associated with each of the broadcast stations,
- 5 each of said zones defined by the broadcast range of the
- 6 closest broadcast station, and
- 7 broadcasting information of particular interest to all
- 8 notor vehicles in each zone.
- 1 15. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 14 wherein said broadcast
- 3 information is of particular interest to all motor vehicles
- 4 in each zone and includes said data specific to a
- 5 transmitting vehicle in a the respective zone.
- 1 16. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 15 wherein said broadcast
- 3 information relates to a breakdown of the transmitting
- 4 vehicle.
- 1 17. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 15 wherein said broadcast
- 3 information relates to road hazards in the respective zone
- 4 as noted by the transmitting vehicle.

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- 1 18. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 15 wherein said broadcast
- 3 information relates to traffic conditions in the respective
- 4 zone as noted by the transmitting vehicle.
- 1 19. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 15 wherein said broadcast
- 3 information relates to traffic conditions in zones other
- 4 than the broadcast zone as noted by a transmitting vehicle.
- 1 20. (original) The short range RF broadcasting method to
- 2 motor vehicles of claim 11 further including the step of
- 3 displaying received broadcast data in association with said
- 4 transceivers in each motor vehicle.